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THIS MONTH AT SHELTON

MILADY - NEWS AND VIEWS

Beginning in October, Milady Khoury-Murphy will be featured each Friday on WCFT-TV, Channel 33, as part of the program, "News and Views." Murphy will appear weekly to discuss exercise and health tips.

MOSCOW SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS TO VISIT SHELTON

Mrs. Helena Voiteshook, superintendent of the Moscow City Schools in Russia, will be visiting the Tuscaloosa City School System and Shelton State Community College as part of her trip to the United States this fall. Mrs. Voiteshook, who also serves as an elected member to the Moscow City Council, will be in Tuscaloosa, October 10 - November 12. While in Tuscaloosa, she will be honored at a reception at Shelton State on Sunday, October 9, at 2:30 p.m. in the Victor Poole Learning Resource Center located on the 15th Street Campus.

FINANCIAL AID WORKSHOP PLANNED

A financial aid workshop for students who are interested in attending one of Shelton's off-campus sites will be held in Eutaw October 27 from 4-6 p.m. at the Branch Heights Community Center. For additional information, call Tommy Taylor, Ext. 2413.

CHOLESTEROL SCREENING TO BE HELD

DCH Regional Medical Center will hold a cholesterol screening for Shelton health classes on October 5. The screening will be held from 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. in the

Skyland Campus auditorium. Other school personnel are invited to participate. The cost of the screening is \$5 and \$10, depending on the type of test. For additional information, contact Susan Thomas, ext. 2294.

LITERACY WORKSHOP PLANNED

A literacy workshop will be held October 6 on the college's 15th Street Campus. For additional information, contact Phyllis Stanley, ext. 2420.

SHELTON GOLF SCHEDULE

October 1, 2, & 3: Faulkner State, Daphne, Al.

October 23, 24, & 25: Wallace State, Hanceville

SHELTON BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Oct. 2: Montevallo, away, 1 p.m.

Oct. 7: AUM, away, 11 a.m.

Oct. 10: Shoals, away, 1 p.m.

October 14: Jeff State, Gadsden, 12:30 pm
Gadsden St., Gadsden, 3 p.m.

Oct. 16: Bevill State, away, 1 p.m.

Oct. 19: Gordan, B'ham South. 11 a.m.
Northwest B'ham Sou 1:30 p.m.

NEW CONTINUING EDUCATION CLASSES

Financial Planning & Money Management,
Tues-Thurs, October 4-13: Paul Ray,
instructor. Cost \$50.

Beginning Calligraphy, Tues, Sept. 13-18:
Carol Kendrick, Instructor, Cost: \$50.
Call 391-2360.

PRISON EMPLOYMENT WORKSHOP SCHEDULED

SHELTON IS PLANNING A "PRISON
EMPLOYMENT WORKSHOP" FOR

INTERESTED APPLICANTS DURING
FALL SEMESTER. THE PRIMARY
FOCUS OF THE WORKSHOP WILL BE
TO CONTINUE THE COLLEGE'S
EFFORTS AT IDENTIFYING AND
EDUCATING POTENTIAL PRISON
EMPLOYEES WHO ARE INTERESTED
IN APPLYING FOR THE MERIT-BASED
POSITIONS AT THE BIBB COUNTY
PRISON. SHELTON HAS MADE
PRELIMINARY CONTACTS WITH THE
STATE DEPARTMENT OF
CORRECTIONS TO PROVIDE A
SPEAKER FOR THE WORKSHOP.

The college will continue to hold weekly
workshops on Monday and Thursday
evenings from 5-8 p.m. at the Brent
Elementary Schools. These classes are
coordinated by Ruth Watts. For additional
information, call Tommy Taylor, 391-2413.

FACES AND PLACES

RAINER TO SERVE ON STATE COMMITTEE

Don Rainer, director of financial aid for
the college, has agreed to serve on the
President's Advisory Committee for the
Alabama Association of Student Financial
Aid Administrators, Inc. The purpose of the
committee is to offer advice and guidance in
the decisions that affect the members of the
AASFA. Rainer is one of six people
selected for this committee.

Two instructors from the college's
Humanities Division have been invited to
speak at the 17th Annual Southeastern
Regional Conference of the International
Reading Association which will be held in
Birmingham in October. **Pam Davis and
Fran Turner** will speak to post secondary
educators about the benefits of using Whole

Language Reading Instruction with college students enrolled in developmental reading classes.

An article about Shelton State reading students appeared in the September issue of **THE JOURNAL OF READING**. In the article **Fran Turner** describes how the students developed their communication and study skills by teaching a portion of the text. **THE JOURNAL OF READING** is an official publication of the International Reading Association and is sent to some 20,000 individuals in over 100 different countries.

BOOK BUDDIES - Faculty and staff from the library and the reading department at Shelton have teamed up to help the children in the college's Child Development Center develop a love of print. They will visit the children and integrate books and poems with music, art, movement, exploration, and cooking experiments. With 28 children, between the ages of two and one-half and four and one-half years of age, there is always a lot of creative activity taking place in the center. Stop by for a fun place to visit!

During this past August, **Terry Merritt**, director of travel and tourism, conducted a group travel workshop in Paris, France. Over 300 teachers from around the world were at the three-day conference. Merritt was the keynote speaker.

A great time was had by all during the college's Labor Day Fitness Cruise. During the weekend, participants cycled on Keywest and Nassau islands, attended exercise and nutrition classes that were held on ship and learned how to manage stress while on

board. The cruise was held through the college's travel and tourism program.

Milady Khoury-Murphy was the instructor.

CELEBRATION OF THE ELECTRONIC LIBRARY SYSTEM

WHEN: October 5, 1994

10 A.M. - 12 NOON

WHERE: Skyland Campus
**Register for prizes now through
10 a.m. on Oct. 5.**

NEWS CONCERNING OFF- CAMPUS CENTERS

At their August meeting, the Alabama Commission on Higher Education (ACHE) approved Shelton's request to teach at two off-campus sites: Bibb County and Branch Heights.

CAREERS NOW! ACTIVITIES

Shelton's Career Alternatives will host a series of three free classes in order to introduce potential students to the college. Subjects that will be included in the classes include life roles, career exploration, decision making, male/ female roles, self concepts, growth/challenge, building self esteem and confidence, and awareness. The first class will be held at the Crescent East Activity Center. The second class will be at the Delaware Jackson Activity Center and the third at Rosedale Courts. For additional information, contact Shirley Johnson, 758-3361.

WELLNESS CERTIFICATE PROGRAM NOW AVAILABLE

Shelton State's Wellness Center is now offering students of all ages the opportunity to become certified exercise/wellness instructors through the wellness certificate program. For additional information regarding the program and other wellness classes, call 391-2394.

OFF-CAMPUS REGISTRATION DATES SCHEDULED

THE DATES FOR SPRING REGISTRATION AT SHELTON'S OFF-CAMPUS CENTERS HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED. OFF-CAMPUS REGISTRATION WILL BE HELD IN EUTAW ON NOVEMBER 7 AND 8 FROM 4 - 6 P.M. AT THE BRANCH HEIGHTS COMMUNITY CENTER. REGISTRATION AT THE CENTREVILLE CENTER WILL BE HELD AT BIBB COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL ON NOVEMBER 14 FROM 5-7 P.M.

SHELTON STUDENT APPEARS ON NEWS AND VIEWS

Shelton student Lisa Blewitt recently appeared with two other Tuscaloosans on WCFT's noon talk show, "News and Views." The three discussed Phi Theta Kappa's annual service project that is being held in cooperation with the Tuscaloosa County Mental Health Association. In order to combat depression and other mental health illnesses, the Mental Health Association will provide a free screening at the college on October 6. The screening will be held on the 15th Street Campus from 10 a.m. - 12 noon and from 5:30-7:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served. For information, contact Joan Brown, 752-2689.

Dear Friends:

Our dream is now becoming reality! On Tuesday, October 11, we will have our ground breaking ceremony that will officially "kick off" our new campus site. I hope you will attend.

The ceremony is for us, the Shelton family! Many honored guests have agreed to join us for this event, including Governor Jim Folsom, and I hope your schedule will allow you to attend.

In addition, the college will host a party at the Sheraton Capstone Inn from 5 - 6:30 p.m. to announce our efforts to the business community. All full time employees are invited to attend this event. Hosts for the evening include Jim Boone, Bob Tanner, Steve Shelton, Chares Land, Drew Linn, Roland Pugh, Victor Poole, Jimmy Hinton, George Hinton, Ryan deGraffenreid, Phillip Bobo, Beverly Phifer, A.H. Bean, Anthony Topazi, and Dick Johnson.

We hope this will be a splendid event to show our support to the business community. For West Alabama, this is a "New Time, New World, New Shelton." Thanks for your support of our new campus efforts. We are still giving tours of the property site every Friday at noon. Call ext. 2498 to sign up.

Tom Umphrey

SHELTON ANNOUNCES COMPUTERIZATION OF LIBRARY FACILITIES

This week Shelton will celebrate the implementation of its new computerized library system. The library celebration is scheduled for October 5 and will include recognition of Shelton employees and students who will receive the first bar codes issued for the new system. Former library employees will also be recognized.